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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b), enclosed herewith is a completed Form PTO-1449 identifying documents that may be considered material to the examination of the above-identified application.

The above-identified application is a division of, and claims priority benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 to, pending U.S. Serial No. 10/255,450 (filed September 26, 2002), which itself is a division of, and claims priority benefit under § 120 to, U.S. Serial No. 09/599,213 (filed June 22, 2000) now U.S. Patent No. 6,465,458.

U.S. Patent No. 6,610,690 issued on August 26, 2003, from U.S. Serial No. 10/037,210 (filed June 1, 2002), and U.S. Patent No. 6,610,690 issued on August 26, 2003, from U.S. Serial No. 10/037,344, which is a division of, and claims priority benefit under § 120 to, the '213 application.

Enclosed herewith and identified on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 are copies of the following:

- (a) U.S. Patent No. 6,465,458;
- (b) U.S. Patent No. 6,610,690; and,
- (c) Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due in U.S. Serial No. 10/037,344.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of the other documents identified on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 are not being enclosed as each was previously submitted during prosecution of the '213 application. However, the applicants will be pleased to provide additional copies should the examiner so desire.

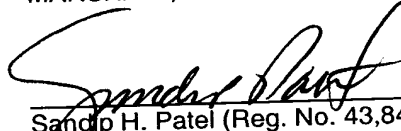
An early and favorable action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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